

NINE PLANES MAKE NON-STOP FLIGHT, MINNEOLA TO ALBANY

One Sets Record of 70 Minutes for 140 Miles—Tenth Machine Descends.

Nine of ten airplanes which left Hazelhurst Field at Mineola early today for Albany arrived there safely within two hours after their departure. The de Havilland, which carried Col. Archie Miller, Commander of the Air Service on Long Island, made a record of 1 hour and 10 minutes for the 140 miles.

One plane was forced to descend because of engine trouble at Castleton. The machine overturned as it landed but the occupants were not hurt. It had been planned that the smaller planes of the detachment should stop at Poughkeepsie but this arrangement was not followed. The de Havilland plane which made the record flight arrived in a damaged condition and spare parts were hurried to Albany from Hazelhurst field.

Col. Miller and his pilots called on Gov. Smith and laid before him photographs and maps showing the advantages to be gained by the establishment of cities of landing fields and service stations for airplanes.

The planes were manned as follows: First detachment—Four Curtiss H planes: 1—Major Edward D. Lyon, pilot, Chauffeur Frederick W. Brown, passenger; 2—Capt. Harry M. Smith, pilot, M. S. Electrician W. A. Moore, passenger; 3—Second Lieut. Donald E. Martin, pilot, Sgt. Arthur A. Caffery, passenger; 4—Lieut. Homer D. Chandler, pilot, Sgt. Charles L. Anderson, passenger.

Second detachment—Four de Havilland planes: 1—Second Lieut. Ross C. Kirkpatrick, pilot, Col. Archie Miller, passenger; 2—First Lieut. John P. Roulot, pilot, Capt. Gordon Reel, passenger; 3—Second Lieut. William C. Coates, pilot, M. S. Electrician Ardie W. Haydes, passenger; 4—Second Lieut. Howard D. Norris, pilot, M. S. Electrician Henry J. Meyer, passenger.

Third detachment—Two Curtiss H planes: 1—Capt. Morris D. Cleary, pilot, M. S. Electrician W. A. Moore, passenger; 2—Lieut. John W. Frewer, pilot, M. S. Electrician W. A. Moore, passenger.

Police Say Man Arrested Was Implicated Recently in Death of a Soldier.

Frank Solano, twenty, a printer, living at No. 212 East 104th Street, was held in \$3,000 bail today by Magistrate Cobb in Yorkville Court, charged with grand larceny. Solano waived examination and will await action of the Grand Jury.

Albert Winters, No. 195 West Third Street, accused Solano of attempting to steal \$15,000 worth of woolens owned by C. Bahnsen & Co., No. 237 Fourth Avenue, which were in an express wagon driven by Winters. The driver left the wagon for a moment and returning left the vehicle a block away. A boy helper, still on the tailboard, thought Winters was driving.

Winters blew a police whistle and gave chase. Near Gramercy Park two men leaped from the wagon and Detective James Donlin caught Solano. The other escaped.

Solano was implicated, the police say, in the death of a Canadian soldier in the War. He was arrested in the Westchester County Jail on Oct. 10 last. He turned State's evidence and Richard Harrison is now in the death house in Big Sing for the killing.

J. F. CLARK'S FUNERAL PLANS

Brother Brings Back Body of Brooklyn's Ex-Prosecutor.

The body of John F. Clark, former District Attorney in Kings, who died on the golf links at Ryeledge Lakes, Me. Monday last, reached his late home, No. 403 Second Street, Brooklyn, at noon today. Joseph Clark, his brother, who is an official in the Brooklyn Borough President's office, brought the body back.

Services will be held in St. Francis Xavier Roman Catholic Church, Sixth Avenue and Carroll Street, Saturday, at 11 o'clock. Interment will be in the cemetery.

On motion of District Attorney Lewis, Judge May today granted an order of respect to the memory of Mr. Clark.

Stock Clearing Board Has Been Incorporated.

The Stock Clearing Corporation, which is the new adjunct of the New York Stock Exchange, designed to extend large credits to the brokers on stock collateral, has received and accepted its certificate of incorporation. It is expected that the operation of the new corporation will be of substantial benefit to the banking community and Stock Exchange houses in cutting down the physical costs of settlements and in materially relieving the credit situation. The authors of the new system believe that the present daily extension of credits by the banks will be reduced by about 50 per cent.

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Couple Who Will Be Wed in Airplane 1,000 Feet in Air, and Bridesmaid



A real "made in heaven marriage" will be performed Saturday at the Police Field Day at Sheepshead Bay Speedway, when Lieut. George H. Burgess, U. S. Air Service, and Miss Milly K. Schaffer of Brooklyn are married while flying in an airplane a thousand feet above the earth. The aviator and his bride-elect will go up in one plane, while the minister will be taken aloft in another plane piloted by Lieut. Eugene H. Barkadale, the best man. Miss Doris K. Schob, the bridesmaid, will go up in a machine piloted by Col. Archie Miller. The couple will be joined by radio telephony, and loud speaking telephones installed in the grandstand below will magnify the words spoken in the air so that the audience will be able to hear the ceremony. Thirty airplanes will then join the wedding procession in the clouds.

'DOC' WATERBURY IN TOMBS ON CHARGE MADE BY GIRL

Held in \$25,000 When Brought Back After Jumping His Bail.

"Twenty-five thousand dollars bail." This judgment by Judge John S. McIntyre, in General Sessions today, sent "Doc" Waterbury to his old cell in the Tombs. He is facing a fight to avoid a penalty of forty years in Sing Sing as a second offender if convicted for attacking a fifteen-year-old girl.

Waterbury was arrested at Seattle, Wash., by Detective John Cuniff, who trailed him after he jumped a \$2,000 bail bond calling for his appearance here on a grand larceny charge. The Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children and the Gorry Society are back of his prosecution.

It is alleged he lured a girl to a room near 24th Street and Broadway last February. Subsequently he disappeared after he had heard that the alleged victim had picked his picture from the Rogues Gallery.

SUDDENLY RECALLS NAME BUT REFUSES TO TELL IT

Gassed Soldier's Mental Lapse Baffles Science and the Police for Nine Hours.

For nine hours, to-day medical science and the police tried to help a young man remember his last name.

He first appealed to the police in Brooklyn, saying that he knew he was an ex-soldier, had been in battle, had been gassed, and had reached Brooklyn. He also knew his first name was Frank. So the police sent him to Kings County Hospital, where the first diagnosis was aphasia. A second examination by Dr. Hiram Elliot led to a verdict of post-epileptic confusion. All of a sudden the young man's mind cleared up.

"I remember my last name now," he said. "What is it?" the doctor asked. "I'd rather not tell," was the reply. "And there you are."

LEGION CHARTER FOR BRONX.

Granted to the John Purroy Mitchell Post.

Announcement is made by the American Legion that a charter has been granted for John Purroy Mitchell Post comprising war veterans from the Belmont section of the Bronx. William Rubane No. 606 Crescent Avenue, the Bronx, is Secretary of the new post.

Washington Heights Post veterans will meet in the Public Library, No. 503 West 145th Street, to-night. Major Philip J. Cook will be among the speakers. E. S. Miller, a lawyer, is President of this Post.

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BUYS 3,805,500 POUNDS OF U.S. MEAT; CAN'T SELL IT

O'Malley Tells of Activities of Packers' Agents—Orders Cancelled on Short Notice.

Deputy Commissioner of Markets O'Malley announced to-day that he knows an individual who has purchased from the War Department the following stocks of food:

2,500,000 pounds of bacon.
1,500,000 pounds of canned bacon.
1,000,000 pounds of oleomargarine.
1,500 cases of roast beef.

"This man told me," said O'Malley, "that he was being trailed by agents of the Packers' Trust who seek to prevent him from disposing of the meats he has bought. He said that yesterday morning he obtained orders from butchers who in the afternoon cancelled their orders."

A conference was held to-day between O'Malley and Mayor Hylan, after which O'Malley said the city, which cannot at present buy food from the War Department on its own account, will offer to help the government dispose of the goods by acting as a distributing agent, but without accepting responsibility.

VATICAN CHOIR COMING FOR VISIT TO NEW YORK

First Time It Has Been Heard Outside Rome in 1,600 Years of Its Existence.

For the first time since organized, 1,600 years ago, the Vatican choir will be heard outside the Roman Basilicas. The choir will come direct to New York and then tour this country and Canada. There will be seventy voices in the choir.

Announcement of this was made by Theodore Mitchell of the Longacre Building. The arrangements were completed by James Slewin of this city, who has been in Rome working on the project. The choir will be under the direction of the Right Rev. Mr. Maestro Raffaele Casimiro, canon of St. John, Lateran, director of the Pontifical Chapel and head master and director of composition of the Schola Cantorum.

WIDOWER, 60, ASKS \$25,000 FOR GIRL'S REFUSAL TO WED

Meehan Declares She Backed Out After He Spent \$1,214 for Furniture and Rings.

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RE-HEARING ASKED BY CITY TO SAVE FREE TRANSFERS

Burr Contends Commission Has No Right to Impose Extra Charge.

Asserting that the Public Service Commission had no right to order two-cent transfers in this city, Corporation Counsel William P. Burr to-day filed with the Commission an application for a rehearing in the matter.

The city, in its application, declares the Legislature has not vested the power with the Commission to fix transfer charges, which have been free by statute, that joint rates could have been fixed and that no adequate proof has been submitted showing the necessity for the charged transfers.

"The commission," says the application, "has no power to increase the rate for any separate line of a system of which it is a part on the ground that the system, as a whole, is alleged to be operating at a loss. The commission cannot treat this application to abolish free transfers as an application of a railway system, while the companies in the system remain separate entities."

Corporation Counsel Burr insists that the order from the commission was under a threat from the United States District Court that 5 cents would be the charge for every ride on every car, and through coercion, in that disintegration was threatened by the company involved. In the application Mr. Burr specifically cites thirty-six transfer points, where charter provisions compel the railroad to give free transfers and where, under the Public Service order, a charge of 5 cents is contemplated.

In summing up the application, Corporation Counsel Burr states: "That the new matter referred to herein shows conclusively that the sole purpose for which said order was made, i. e., the prevention of disintegration of the New York Railway system, has already been frustrated and defeated in part in that one of the principal lines of the system has been separated therefrom and returned to its original owners."

POLICE FORCE AND HIS CHIEF BOTH QUIT; TOWN UNGUARDED

Latter Finds H. C. L. Incommensurate With Pay, Public Finds Merriam Ditto With His.

The police force at Newton, N. J., quit to-day. The calamity is attributed to the high cost of living of the one hand and public dissatisfaction on the other.

Chief Arthur T. Bryan, who besides being universally popular is so big he can be seen all over town when he is standing, the veracious correspondent asserts, found that the mounting cost of living made his 1909 a year look like a green carnation transfer. The Town Committee decided last night it couldn't afford a larger salary, so the 6 foot 8 inch Chief handed in his tin star and resigned.

The rest of the force, Charles Merriam on the payroll, was asked by the town officials to quit because the people had grown tired of him.

WORKERS FEAST ON MELONS.

Feddler's Wagon Wrecked When Highway Struck Auto.

Street cleaners at 6th Street and Park Avenue had watermelon for luncheon to-day. A horse driven by Anthony Como of No. 408 East 74th Street shied at 6th Street and ran away. The wagon struck a motor truck at 6th Street and was wrecked. The melons were scattered over the street and Como was taken to the Presbyterian Hospital.

SUICIDE ON TRAIN THROWS PASSENGERS INTO PANIC

Women Hysterical as Man Leaps Out of Window Near Atlantic Avenue Tunnel.

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27TH MEN IN PENS MUCH WORSE THAN CAGES OF GERMANS

Gen. March Reads O'Ryan's Report to House War Investigators.

WASHINGTON, July 24.—Members of the House special committee investigating the conduct of the war are considering to-day the admissions of Gen. Peyton C. March, Chief of Staff, of frightfully brutal treatment of American soldiers, including men of New York's 27th Division, who were confined in American military prisons in France.

Verification of brutal treatment at Paris was made in a report from headquarters of the 27th Division by Lieut. Col. J. Leslie Kinkaid, Judge Advocate, and J. Mayhew Wainwright, Inspector General, which was read by Gen. March.

Hostility was shown by Regular Army officers to the National Guard at the prisons, said the report, which added also that violent epithets were applied to men of the 27th. "It was out of harmony with the spirit of the American expeditionary force," said the inspecting officer.

Conditions were described as worse than those in Siberian camps or German cages. Trivial personal property such as crucifixes and photographs of mothers and sweethearts were taken from the men, the reports showed, and they were forced to drill in front of machine guns and rifles. Similar bad treatment was reported by men of the 30th Division.

The sentence imposed on Lieut. Frank H. ("Hardboiled") Smith by an army court martial upon conviction of brutal treatment of soldiers imprisoned under him at Farm No. 2 and the stockade near Paris is one instance where military justice was too light.

Gen. March read a report to the committee from Gen. John J. Pershing, dated July 19, summarizing the trials of the officers in charge of the prison. It showed that Smith was tried on twenty-four charges, and found guilty of ten, for which he was dismissed from the service and sentenced to three years' imprisonment. This was reduced to eighteen months.

COURT AIDS ELOPER TO WIN BRIDE'S FATHER'S BLESSING

17-Year-Old Girl's Angry Parent Withdraws Abduction Charge Against Youth.

Magistrate Harris in Yorkville Court and Francesco Borgia of No. 225 East 48th Street, transformed from an average parent into a beaming father-in-law, joined to-day in bestowing blessings on Vincenzo Attardo, a youthful mechanic, and his seventeen-year-old bride, Constantina.

The couple had been brought from Gloverville by Detective Hooker of the East 51st Street Station on a warrant in which Borgia charged the bridegroom with abduction and the bride with being incorrigible after they disappeared July 9 last. Detective Hooker learned in Gloverville that they had been married.

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TWO HELD AS BURGLARS, ONE SHOT IN CHIN

Youth Wounded as He Flew Over Fence From Amsterdam Avenue Store.

Three policemen were sent early today from the West 100th Street Station on a telephone message that burglars were in the 5 and 10-cent store at No. 775 Amsterdam Avenue. They saw two men climbing a fence in the rear and six shots were fired at them.

One man shouted and fell and was found to be shot in the chin. He described himself as Thomas McGowan, seventeen years old, a driver of No. 22 West 80th Street. After his wound had been dressed he was charged with burglary. Later a man describing himself as Frank Walsh, nineteen, a driver of No. 140 West 98th Street, was arrested, charged with being McGowan's accomplice.

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Vessel Aboard Off Far Rockaway Believed to Be Doomed.

There is 20 feet of water in the hull of the stranded four-masted schooner Charles Dunlap, ashore off Far Rockaway. Little hope of saving her is held out by the coast guard. It is feared the schooner will go to pieces if an attempt is made to pull her off the sand.

Capt. Richard Crotale, the crew of seventeen and two stowaways were taken off the craft this afternoon. A wrecking tug brought them to New York. The schooner is owned in Porto Rico and the Northern Bayside Corporation, No. 17 Battery Place, is the agent here. She left San Juan, Porto Rico, July 6.

PITCHED BATTLE ON FRENCH LIEUT. WON BY AMERICA

Louis Marshall, Back To-Day, Led Passengers Against Gendarmes at Havre.

There was a pitched battle between the passengers, cabin and steerage, of the French liner La Touraine on the one hand and Capt. Bourdeaux and twenty French gendarmes on the other, July 12, at the pier in Le Havre, according to the passengers who reached this city on the ship to-day. Louis Marshall, jurist and advocate of Jewish rights before the Peace Commission at Paris, with sixty-seven United States army officers, led the passengers in the fighting. The casualties were limited to bloody noses and skinned knuckles.

"The ship was advertised to sail July 12," said Mr. Marshall. "But when the passengers gathered in the dining saloons Capt. Bourdeaux appeared and said the crew had struck and had gone to Paris in a body to attend the Bastille Day celebration and would not be back until July 15. In the mean time, he said, it was not possible to give service on the ship, and everybody must go ashore."

"We learned the hotels were all filled. I addressed the passengers, both in the cabin and the steerage, and learned it was the sense of everybody aboard that we should stay on the ship. This I communicated to Capt. Bourdeaux. He said if we did not leave at once he would find means to eject us by force, in spite of the fact there were many women with little children in the steerage who had not been able to find lodgings."

"The captain went ashore and returned with twenty gendarmes who began dragging passengers to the gangplank. We rushed them and in the end the gendarmes were put ashore and seemed in no mood to come back."

"There were thirty-five Salvation Army workers among the passengers. Food was procured in small quantities ashore. Twelve Knights of Columbus had a considerable store of chocolate for distribution to officers and which they immediately turned over."

Mr. Marshall said that any credit accruing from the success of the Jewish Mission to the Peace Conference was due to the courtesy and humanity and intelligence of President Wilson and the other members of the American Mission.

"Tens of thousands of Jews have been killed," said Mr. Marshall, "because of the pogroms in Poland and Ukraine. The pogroms were not so much the result of an organized movement as they were the outgrowth of unthinking anarchical tendencies in the countries where they occurred. These conditions found expression in attacks on Jews."

SALARY RAISES GRANTED TO CITY LAW DEPARTMENT

Assistant Corporation Counsels and Deputies Receive Increases.

The following salary increases and promotions in the Law Department were announced to-day:

Salaries Increased—Assistant Corporation Counsels: William H. King, from \$6,000 to \$7,000 per annum; John P. O'Brien, \$5,500 to \$6,000; William E. C. Mayer, \$4,200 to \$5,000; Eugene Payson, \$4,500 to \$5,000; David C. Broderick, \$3,750 to \$4,000; John Maroney, \$3,480 to \$3,660.

Deputy Assistants: Philip N. Harrison, \$2,620 to \$2,760; James D. O'Sullivan, \$2,500 to \$2,620; A. Judson Hyatt, \$2,280 to \$2,400. Junior Assistants: Joseph L. Pascal, \$2,300 to \$2,400; Rollin H. Reid, \$1,940 to \$2,050; Charles E. Milville, \$1,780 to \$1,900; William Flato, \$1,600 to \$1,800; William J. Leonard, \$1,600 to \$1,800.

Promoted—Vincent Victory from Deputy Assistant at \$2,940 to Assistant Corporation Counsel at \$3,480.

TWO PRISONERS CHARGE POLICE BEAT THEM UP

Magistrate Corrigan Investigates Story After Freeing Accused Men.

Magistrate Corrigan, of the West Side Court is investigating the claim of two prisoners that they were beaten by the police.

Thomas M. O'Rourke, a chauffeur, of No. 877 Tenth Avenue, declared he was beaten with nightsticks in the West 68th Street Station where he was a prisoner on a charge of intoxication.

George Jacobson, a mechanic, of No. 215 East 121st Street, said Patrolman John Rogers had blackened his eye. Jacobson was accused of interfering with the patrolman.

Magistrate Corrigan suspended sentence on O'Rourke and dismissed the charges against Jacobson. He then had a stenographer take the statement of the complainants.

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WEARY ARTISTS APPEAL TO COURT TO SILENCE JAZZ

When It Isn't Jazz It's Rag—Din Is Continuous, Rose Coghlan Says.

Rose Coghlan, the actress; her daughter, Mrs. Pittman; Mabel Trude, decorator; Leon De Costa, writer of light opera lyrics, and other persons literary and artistic, all dwellers in an apartment house at No. 253 West 43d Street, appeared in wild-eyed wrath before Magistrate Corrigan in Yorkville Court to-day. They demanded the suppression of the jazz band and player piano incidental to the de Bride School of Dancing at No. 249 West Forty-second Street, the windows of which open on a court on which the complainants' windows also look out.

"It's jazz for breakfast, rag for lunch and jazz, rag and song for all evening and lullaby," said Miss Coghlan, as spokesman. "From the time I get out of bed in the morning until I throw myself down at night, nervously exhausted, it is pandemonium. How would you like it, Your Honor, if you found yourself brushing your hair to jazz music in the morning?"

The court blushed comprehensively and said he would not go into personal matters.

Miss Mary de Bride and Nelson Thysen, who is associated with her, denied they were conducting a dance hall. They denied that they made so very much noise. They asserted they